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REPLY TO THE ATTENTION OF:

Mr. Harry Atkinson
Indiana Department of Environmental Management
Office of Land Quality/Remediation Services Branch
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Indianapolis, Indiana 46204

Mr. Richard Wise
Assistant Administrator/Department of Public Works
Environmental Resource Management and Compliance – City of Indianapolis
2460 City-County Building
200 East Washington Street
Indianapolis, Indiana 46204

RE: Request for Applicable or Relevant and Appropriate Requirements
for the ESI Environmental Inc Site (AKA Ecological Systems Inc
(INR000022335)), Indianapolis, Marion County, Indiana

Dear Messrs. Atkinson and Wise:

The purpose of this letter is to request Applicable or Relevant and Appropriate Requirements (ARARs) for the above-referenced site. As you may be aware, Ecological Systems declared bankruptcy on October 1, 2010, and last week you received a redacted copy of the approved Action Memorandum. Tentatively, U.S. EPA will be on-site on October 8 to conduct a walk-thru with our Emergency Response contractor, Environmental Restoration, collect samples with our Superfund Technical Assistance and Response Team (START) contractor, Weston Solutions, and meet Ecological System's insurance company's environmental consultant, WPT. Besides Federal RCRA, please let me know of any other ARARs that U.S. EPA should incorporate into this removal action. If you have any questions, please contact me at (312) 886-3601. You may direct legal inquiries to Nola Hicks, Associate Regional Counsel, at (312) 886-7949.

Sincerely,

Verneta Simon
On-Scene Coordinator